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TO AMEMBASSY RANGOON PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR

SUBJECT: NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAM

REF: STATE 174694; STATE 137535; RANGOON 1410

1. THE EAST ASIA INTERAGENCY WORKING GROUP ON NARCOTICS  
MET JULY 30 TO CONSIDER ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE ITEMS FOR  
GUB. MEETING WAS CALLED BY EA/RA IN ADVANCE OF  
SUBMISSION OF POST NCAP BASED ON CONFIRMED AVAILABILITY OF  
USED FOKKER F-27 AT AN ATTRACTIVE PRICE (SEPTTEL). WORKING  
GROUP FAVORABLY RECOMMENDED AND S/NM SPECIFICALLY APPROVED  
AUTHORIZATION OF UP TO \$650,000 FOR PURCHASE AND RECON-  
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DITIONING OF AIRCRAFT. AMOUNT INCLUDES INSTALLATION OF

ALL-TROOP INTERIOR, RADIOS (AN/ARC 159 UHF WITH ARA 50 DF AND COLLONS HF/SSB 718 U-5), EXCHANGE OVERHAUL (ENGINE GEARBOX AND PROP), DOOR MODIFICATION, NUMBER SIX INSPECTION AND SPARE ENGINE, GEARBOX AND PROP. IN VIEW OF PURCHASE AUTHORIZATION, WE WOULD APPRECIATE EARLY EMBASSY COMMENTS ON TECHNICAL ITEMS DISCUSSED IN SEPTTEL.

2. IN ADDITION, EA INTERAGENCY WORKING GROUP ON NARCOTICS CONSIDERED AND FAVORABLY RECOMMENDED PURCHASE OF 100 MK 303A STAR TRON NIGHT VISION DEVICES. S/NM HAS APPROVED THE PURCHASE. IN ORDER TO PROCEED; WE NEED TO KNOW 1)

PREFERRED MIX OF TRIPOD MOUNT VS RIFLE MOUNT DEVICES, AND 2) BRAND AND CALIBER OF RIFLE FOR WEAPON-MOUNTED DEVICES.

3. IN ORDER TO MINIMIZE DELAY IN PROVIDING APPROVED ITEMS, EMBASSY IS AUTHORIZED NEGOTIATE AN EXCHANGE OF NOTES AMENDING THE AGREEMENT OF JUNE 29, 1974, ALONG THE LINES PROPOSED RANGOON 1410. A STATEMENT SHOULD BE ADDED TO THE NOTE THAT SPECIFIC ITEMS TO BE PROVIDED WILL BE COVERED IN ANNUAL PROAGS. EMBASSY SHOULD ALSO BEGIN DISCUSSIONS WITH GUB ON NEW PROAG TO COVER F-27 AND NIGHT VISION DEVICES, INCLUDING PRICES OF ITEMS.

4. EMBASSY WILL BE NOTIFIED WHEN FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE AND ALLOTMENT ISSUED SO THAT PROAG MAY BE SIGNED. INGERSOLL

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